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Territory of Louisiana

At a meeting of the following members of the Legislature of the said Territory, at the House of Edward Kempf, in the Town of Saint Louis, in pursuance of a notice to that effect given by His Excellency, Meriwether Lewis Governor, on Tuesday the twenty ninth day of August, in the Year, one thousand eight hundred and seven.

Present.

His Ex^t Meriwether Lewis Governor
The Honorable John B. C. Lucas Judges
Otto Shrader.

Mr. Lewis laid before the Legislature an account against the Territory for Printing and Translating the Laws of the same amounting to the sum of fifteen hundred, twenty four Dollars, & fifty seven and a half cents. He ordered that copies of said accounts be filed, and the originals returned to Mr. Lewis.

Mr. Shrader offered the following Resolution to wit— Resolved that it is expedient to make provision by Law for the payment of expenses which have accrued by Printing and Translating the Laws of this Territory in addition to the sum of Five Hundred Dollars heretofore appropriated by a resolution of the seventh of June, 1807, and the same being read on motion

of Mr Lucas, that the said Resolution, be so amended as to read "reasonable expenses," the same was carried.

Resolved that the said Resolution do pass, as amended.

On Motion, Resolved that the said resolution together with the accounts for printing and the vouchers be referred to Mr Shadr to report thereon by Bill or otherwise this afternoon -

Mr Shadr submits the following Resolution to wit -

Resolved that it be referred to a committee to report a Bill, declaring that no monies shall be paid out of the Territorial Treasury, except upon orders from the Legislature; and that all contracts hereafter to be made for public business, shall be entered into by the Legislature, and repealing so much of any law of this Territory contrary to this provision - with a proviso respecting the salary of the Adjutant General and the expenses attending the delivery of fugitives from Justice from other States or Territories" and the same being read, Resolved unanimously that the same do pass - and that the same be referred to Mr Shadr to report a Bill thereon by this afternoon.

When the Legislature adjourned till

3 o'clock this afternoon

E. Humphreys Ck

Edw. Lee

Three of the clock, in the afternoon

Legislature met pursuant to adjournment
Present as before.

Mr. Thayer according to order reported a Bill providing for the payment of expenses incurred in printing the Laws of this Territory and the same being read, on motion ordered that the said Bill be engrossed for signing tomorrow.

Mr. Thayer according to order reported a Bill making appropriation for certain expenses in Printing Militia orders, & blank forms, and the same being read, on motion ordered that the said Bill be engrossed for signing tomorrow.

Mr. Thayer according to order reported a Bill in addition to an act concerning the fiscal concerns of the Territory and the same being read, on motion ordered that the said Bill be engrossed for signing tomorrow.

When the Legislature adjourned
file to morrow morning 8 o'clock
E. Thompson, Clerk

Wednesday August 30, 1869

The Legislature met pursuant to adjournment.
Present as before.

The Legislature proceeded according to the order of the day to the consideration of the Engrossed Bill providing for the payment of expenses

incurred in ~~the~~ the ~~laws~~ of the Territory, and
the same being read, Resolved unanimously that
the said Bill be Engrasado de Paso, and that the
title thereof be "an act making further provision
for the payment of the expenses of printing Banners
and Transcribing the laws of this Territory" and the
said Bill was thereupon signed.

The Legislature proceeded according to the
Order of the day to the consideration of the Bill
making appropriation for the payment of the printing
of Militia orders and Blank forms as engrasado, and
the same being read, on motion, Resolved unani-
mously that the said Bill be passed, and that the title
thereof be "An act making appropriation for the
payment of certain expenses which have accrued for
printing militia orders and Blank forms for the use
of the Militia of the Territory of Louisiana," and
the said Bill was thereupon signed.

The Legislature proceeded according to the
order of the day, to the consideration of the Bill
in addition to the act concerning the fiscal
Concerns, and the same being read, on motion
Resolved Unanimously that the said Bill be
Engrasado de Paso. And that the title thereof
be "An act in addition to an act entitled
an Act regulating the fiscal concerns of this
Territory defining the duties of certain officers

passed therein and for other purposes, and the
said Bill was thereupon signed.

When the Legislature adjourned
I nee die.

Edw^e Hempstead, CLK.